NEGRO LAWYER ACCUSED OF CONTEMPT OF COURT

Have Addressed Jury.

Passing Lawyer's Office-Says He Did Not Refer to Butler.

called before Justice Wright yesterday jury at the time, testified that Moss made use of the language attributed to him. The members of the jury had been conducted to an uptown restaurant for breakfast, and were returning to the courthouse when the incident took place. At the time Moss used the lan-

fact that a jury trying a murder case passed his office yesterday, and also that he did not know the man on trial

attributed to him, and said it referred to the outcome of the investigation relative to Judge Ivory G. Kimball, or the Police Court which the Police Court, which was in progress fore a subcommittee at the Capitol. Mr. Moss said at the time he was speak-ing to Policeman Michael J. Flynn, who was standing on the steps of the Police Court building, and referring to the Kimball investigation, said, "Not guilty!

Released on Personal Bond.

the members of the jury may testify in the matter the hearing was postponed until tomorrow morning at 10:30

Justice Wright said Mr. Moss should Results of Recent Excavations in the give a bond in the sum of \$200 for his appearance tomorrow, but after hear-ing a statement from Assistant District Attorney Peyton Gordon, he released

however, it is different. A fighter who is still at the top of his class after his twenty-eighth year is considered a wonder. Of course, there are exceptions, as in the case of Bob Fitzsimmons. He is certainly a well-preserved man, and it will be many moons before we find another like him. Fitz is nearly forty-two, but he can fight as well as he did ten years ago. Then, there are Tommy Ryan, Joe Choynski and Joe Walcott.

Strike For More Pay

choynski was never a champion, but he is a great pugilist for all that.

"Take the old-timers, such as Barney Aaron. Jem Mace. Dooney Rice, and others. They did their best fighting after they were thirty. Then there were Joe Goddard. Frank Slavin, the late Peter Jackson. Billy Edwards, and Pete McCoy. John L. Sullvan was all in, so to speak, before he was thirty-four. Kid McCoy is under thirty and has been forced to retire, because, according to his own admission, he cannot fight any more. George Dixon lost the featherweight title to Terry McGovern when he was in his thirtieth year. McGovern, in turn, was defeated by Young Corbett before he was twenty-two. Pedlar Palmer won the bantam championship of the world from Billy Plimmer when he was twenty, and gave way to McGovern four years later. Although Palmer is twenty-eight, he has been regarded as a has-been for some time. Billy Plimmer was compelled to quit the ring before he was thirty.

Kild Lavigne, one of the best light.

weights the arena has produced in the cornmeal. Then, when all was ready, the clams were uncovered, the meat was ceeded him at the top of this class, went down before Joe Gans, the present lightweight champion, in his two Jim Corbett was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons and lost the heavyweight championship when he was thirty-one. Tom Sharkey, although only in his thirtieth year, has been out of it ever thirtieth year, has been out of it ever since his last fight with Jim Jeffries in 1839. Sharkey always paid the strictest attention to his health, too. Starlight, the veteran Australian middleweight, who has been the trial horse for a number of the suppose of the soup was venison.

There are those who think that this great feast was arranged to celebrate who has been the trial horse for a number of the foremost Australian heavy ing. Starlight is nearly fifty, but the

him in decisive fashion. "Harry Forbes, who is only a young-ster, having been born in 1879, lost the bantam title to Frankie Neil a few months ago. Forbes has been fighting ever since 1897 the latest the fact that the teeth of the aborigines were usually well preserved. ever since 1897. Jack McAuliffe was not re than thirty-one when he retired. Gus Ruhlin, who was born in 1872, is still in the ring, but he has never shown much form since he was put to sleep by

BUTLER FOUND GUILTY

Sentence of Court.

His Mother, by Striking Him on Head With Ax.

2, of manslaughter. The specific crime election to the Senate. afternoon, in Criminal Court No. 2, to with which Butler was charged was show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. Moss is accused by two United States deputy marshals with shouting to the members of the jury who were trying James Butler for murder. "Not guilty, gentlemen; not with which Butler was charged was killing his stepfather, Joseph Green, by striking him on the head with an ax-son June 23 last. He was called to trial on Monday last before Justice Wright in terment will be at Mount Olivet. The patterns will be Messrs. Reed, Waters, for murder, "Not guilty, gentlemen; not show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. Moss is accused by two United States deputy marshals with shouting to the members of Monday last before Justice Wright in terment will be at Mount Olivet. The patterns will be Messrs. Reed, Waters, Connelly, Thornton, Belt, and Gillen. for murder, "Not guilty, gentlemen; not guilty, gentlemen," yesterday morning, noon about 4:15 o'clock and about an Captain Cunningham was born in New

The crime for which Butler was put on trial was committed in King's Alley. two years, and was then assigned to the descrated in purple, gold, and white, There he lived with his stepfather, construction division of the Navy De-Joseph Green and his mother. From the evidence it appeared that on the morn-position of immigration inspector in ing of June 23, before going away from home, Green gave permission to his wife, Nettie Green, to sell some rags

Mother's Testimony.

She and her son testified that Gree for his life nor any of the attorneys also with a barrel stave. Mrs. Green was knocked down and then her son jury. Evidence was also offered to prove that on Easter Sunday last, Butler had threatened to kill his stepfather.

The Government was represented by Assistant District Attorneys Peyton G. Gordon and Jesse Atkins, and the prisoner by Stone Abert and James

In order that Mr. Flym and some of RELICS OF THE MOUND BUILDERS OF THE OHIO

River Valley.

Archaeological and Historical Society, together with a large force of assistants, has been busy for the greater part of the summer excavating the site of a village of the mound builders, fust north of this city, and has made some extremely interesting discoveries, which appear to shed a new light upon the habits and customs of that ancient people. The mound was a large one, and has proved in many ways the richest yet uncovered in this State.

The discoveries made seem to show that mound builders were agriculturists on a large scale, as well as hunters, fishers, potters, and weavers. At this however, it is different. A fighter who

Ryan, Joe Choynski and Joe Walcott.

Choynski was never a champion, but he is a great pugilist for all that.

There have also been found traces of a great clam bake and aboriginal merry making. For days before the

kid Lavigne, one of the best light-beans and grains of the various kinds in the soup, and a coarse bread made of distributed, and each one helped him-

> The evidences of all this are not to loss is estimated at \$50,000 with insurant be misconstrued. There is the deep pit of about \$15,000. where the clams were baked, with the boulders still in it, and the burned sides. About it are scattered 20,00 clam shells. Near by are the smaller pits, with their heaps of bones, and around the caldron

the deaths of two patriarchs of the tribe, who must have died at the same ights, past and present, is still fight. Starlight is nearly fifty, but the same time, as they were duried together. They were a man and a woman, and had reached an age so extreme that the man had not a single tooth left, and the woman only one—this, too, deeo. A great array of trinkets riouskinds were found with their bodies Other bodies have been found, and many interesting relics—these latter being turned up at an average rate of about much form since he was put to sleep by Bob Fitzsimmons three years ago. Peter Maher has been out of it for years, although he is still a young man. He was born in 1829. The Sullivan brothers, Spike and Dave, have been receding in form for years, yet neither of them is over thirty. Kid McPartland, of this city, who was expected to fill Rid Laving shoes some day, has retired from the ring. McPartland was born in 1825, but he was forced to quit boxing a year ago, when he was knocked out by Joe Gans.

"The method of modern pugilists in training and looking after their health is different from that which the old timers used to undergo. Present day scrappers make twice as much money as some of the champions did in the past, and they live only for today."—

New York Sun.

turned up at an average rate of about 100 a day. Several perfect and well preserved bear heads have been found, the first ones that have ever been districted in that have ever been districted in the that have ever been districted in the that have been fish hooks of bone, as perfect as the modern hook; images of various animals, carved and worn as charms; necklaces made of finely polished beaver teeth; pottery of various designs and ornamentation; weaving implements, including needles and small bobbins made or street of stone; carved pipes, and a great variety of other things. The work of excavation will not be completed until late fall, and many other valuable dispendent of the champlons did in the past, and they live only for today."—

New York Sun.

CAPT. A. P. CUNNINGHAM OF MANSLAUGHTER DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS ENJOY ANNUAL BANQUET

John A. Moss Alleged to Remanded to Jail to Await Gained Notoriety by Firing Off Cannon Gamma Eta Chapter Initiates Eight Instead of It Balance Sheet Shows Sur- President Discovers Peculiar Situation in White House Grounds.

Capt. Albais Patrick Cunningham, for "NOT GUILTY, GENTLEMEN" HISTORY OF THE CRIME more than thirty-two years an employe of the Government in various capacities, and concluded the cere-Deputy Marshals Testify Jury Was Killed Stepfather, Who Was Beating enth Street northeast, after an Illness ham was widely known in the District.

He gained much notoriety many years ago by firing a salute near the White

Sas; Otho L. Ferris, Icwa; Guy S. Saffold, District of Columbia; Pallas G. Sutton, District of Columbia: Benjamin G. Steenerson, Minnesota; F. Patrick Machler, District of Columbia; J. W. John A. Moss, a negro lawyer, was alled before Justice Wright yesterday convicted in Criminal Court, No.

James Butler, a negro boy, was yesterday convicted in Criminal Court, No.

House Grounds in the dead of night, in

The funeral will take place from St. head of inspectors in the War Department. In that position he remained for position of immigration inspector in Canada and Western cities.

prominent in the official life of the city.

He is survived by a widow and five

kett, Raymond Gardner, A. M. Beeler,

Now, Dangelyand, Heavy, M. Beeler, children, three daughters and two sons.

MOCCASIN IMBEDDED IN SIX FEET OF SAND

the submarine torpedo boat Moccasin is uncertain. Since going ashore near Currituck, N. C., the vessel has sunk into ters are working constantly, but have mplished nothing.

If there is an unsually high tide soon, she can be pulled off. It will then be necessary, however, to dig a canal in order to float the Moccasin to deep

BILLS INTRODUCED FOR STREET EXTENSIONS

Representative Wadsworth (Rep., N. Y.), a member of the District Commit-tee, yesterday introduced a bill to ex-Prof. C. W. Mills, curator of the State archaeological and Historical Society, addition to Le Droit Park, to the east

Wilcox, Mrs. J. K. Depue, and Ben G.

FIRE DESTROYS TEXAS TOWN. DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 19.-The business portion of the town of Carthage, the ounty seat of Panola county, was almost wiped out by fire today. Twelve business houses were destroyed. The

mous Cure for La Grippe, and the Prevention of Pneumonia.

"77" meets the exigency of Grip, with all its symptoms of Influenza, Catarrh, 100 a day. Several perfect and well Pains, and Soreness in the Head and preserved bear heads have been found, Chest, Cough, Sore Throat, General

Taken early, it cuts it short promptly. Taken during its prevalence, it preoccupies the system and prevents its Taken while suffering from it, a relief

is speedily realized, which may be continued up to an entire cure. "77" breaks up Colds that "hang on." At Druggists', 25 cents,

ga Medical Guide mailed free. Humphreys' Med. Co., cor. William and John

DELTA TAU DELTAS

New Members Last Night.

Gamma Eta Chapter of the Delta Tau died Friday at his residence, 647 Elev-enth Street northeast, after an illness The initiates were Homer Hoch, Kanof about six months. Captain Cunning- sas; Otho L. Ferris, Icwa; Guy S. Saf-

Members of the Washington Alumni Association of the fraternity attended come," Will C. Thom, "An Initiate's Bow," Otho L. Ferris; "Reminiscences," when they were passing his office, on D
Street, between Fifth and Sixth Streets.

Deputy Marshals Wilkinson and Leatherman, who were in charge of the jury at the time, testified that Moss

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The banquet tables were elaborately

the fraternity colors, and emblems of the order adorned the hall.

Among those in attendance were Lee In D Street, in front of his office, near the Police Court.

Moss Says It's Ridiculous.

Mr. Moss testified in his own defense. He said it was ridiculous for anyone to imagine that he would attempt to influence a jury in such a manner. He furthers ead that a jury trying a murder case.

Mother's Testification of the said that he was not aware of the fact that a jury trying a murder case.

Mife, Nettie Green, to sell some rags to obtain money to go on an excursion. She sold the rags. In the afternoon Green returned home under the influence of liquor and quarreled with his wife because she sold the rags and demanded that she give him the money she received for them. This she refused to do and they quarreled.

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Mother's Testification for a number of years captain of Light Battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while in command of the battery that he because conspicuous as the man who awoke President Cleveland from his slumbers by firing the cannon in the rear of the White House. He numbered among his friends many persons prominent in the official life of the city. Thom, Oran W. Wood, John W. Burster Legisland for the battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while in command of the battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while he cannon in the form of the battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while in command of the battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while he cannon in the f Cunningham was for a number of Cunningham was for a number of vears captain of Light Battery A. Washington Field Artillery. It was while Lane, James G. Shibley, Cliver P. Jones, A. R. Neff, Pennsylvania; Henry K. Bruck, Mount Savage, Md.; P. C. Adams, W. S. Couch, Lyman L. Pierce. Charles S. Smith, Dean Corsa, Representative Washington Gardner, Michi-Gamma Eta Chapter was NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 19.-The fate of tuted in Columbian University last year.

CLOSES ITS DOORS

SPR NGFIELD, Mass, Dec. 19.-At 12 o'clock this noon the Hampden Loan and Trust Company closed its doors, the suspension being temporary, according to the officials and directors.

The officials state that the suspension is due to unwise investments, the insecurity of the money market, and the inability of those having large loans due the bank to meet their obligations. capital stock is \$100,000. Among the investments which the company has made recently was \$30,000 in White Mountain Paper Pulp Company. The company has done a large business, the average deposits being \$1.000.000, with loans and discounts of about the same

SCHOOLS NEED MORE MONEY, TEACHERS ENTER POLITICS

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 19 .- At a neeting here today of the leading educationists of Tennessee, it was decided to go into politics as a way by which to re more liberal appropriations for

TO HURRY UP REPAIRS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 19.-Orders were issued at the Edgar Thomson Steel Works of the Carnegie Steel Company today that, beginning tonight, the masons, engineers, machinists, and bricklayers employed on the repair work and improvements being made at the works would be required to work day and night in order to complete the

TREASURY DEFICIT

plus of More Than Five

receipts over expenditures for the current fiscal year was \$5,137,655.73.

trary, a considerable loss.

Government receipts and expenditures yesterday were: From customs, \$567,-196.07; internal revenue, \$727,037.33; mis-626,400. The total of 5 per cent bonds re-deemed to date is \$12,646,650.

POSTMASTER IN FACT

in Kansas and Proceeds to Remedy Matters.

Senator Burton recommended Peter Foley, a newspaper publisher, for the Dr. Edward Koch is the inventor of the ap-The expenditures of the Government this month have been about \$5,000,000 charges were filed and so many remonorment than they were in December of the against his selection that last year, and this has made the surplus possible. No gain in receipts for
the month is shown, but, on the conthe month is shown, but, on the conprinting office, was promptly indorse and appointed.

It is said that Foley immediately tool charge of the postoffice and managed cellaneous, \$78,102.19; total receipts, \$1,-372,325.59; total expenditures, \$1,250,000. printing office. When this fact came to Refunding operations at the Treasury the President's attention he ignored vesterday had reached a total of \$14,-Taft, without consulting Mr. Burton as to the place.

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SAVE THE CHILDREN.

Scarlet fever is unknown in countries where cow's milk is not used as food, hence nulk from unsanitary stables may contain the poison producing it.

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DIPHTHERIA, TYPHOID, and other
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